

SPECIFICATION AMENDMENTS

Please amend paragraph [0044] of the specification, as published as publication number 20050097623, as follows:

[0044] The following description sets forth one or more exemplary implementations of ~~a Multimedia Presentation Resumption~~ multimedia presentation resumption within an ~~Environment~~ environment of ~~Multiple Presentation Systems~~ multiple presentation systems that incorporate elements recited in the appended claims. These implementations are described with specificity in order to meet statutory written description, enabling, and best-mode requirements. However, the description itself is not intended to limit the scope of this patent.

Please amend paragraph [0046] of the specification, as published as publication number 20050097623, as follows:

[0046] An example ~~of an~~ embodiment of a ~~Multimedia Presentation Resumption~~ multimedia presentation resumption within an ~~Environment~~ environment of ~~Multiple Presentation Systems~~ multiple presentation systems may be referred to as an “exemplary resumption architecture.”

Please amend paragraph [0049] of the specification, as published as publication number 20050097623, as follows:

[0049] Herein, “bookmark & resume” of broadcast media effectively produces a time-shift of the broadcast media. It may ~~appear to~~ appear to the viewer that she is “pausing” the broadcast media when she presses the “pause” button (or some other designated button, like a “bookmark” button) for her DVR. However, in reality, the broadcast media broadcast continues, but the DVR records it for later presentation. When the viewer later un-bookmarks (or “resumes”) the presentation of the broadcast media, the DVR plays the recorded content from the point that it was “bookmarked.”

Please amend paragraph [0058] of the specification, as published as publication number 20050097623, as follows:

[0058] As shown in Fig. 1, the household includes a living room 110, a kitchen 120, a bedroom 130, a bathroom 140, and a game room 150. Each room has its own presentation ~~systems~~ system. Those systems include:

Please amend paragraph [0067] of the specification, as published as publication number 20050097623, as follows:

[0067] The nodes may also be implemented in any number of embodiments, but they do not need as much functionality as the hub 114 since the hub services the nodes. Therefore, they ~~need; at least; need, at least,~~ need, at least, to be able to communicate with the hub and to receive multimedia content from the hub.

Please amend paragraph [0073] of the specification, as published as publication number 20050097623, as follows:

[0073] Alternatively, the centralized multimedia presentation system 210 of the exemplary resumption architecture may not have any tuners. Instead of tuning and demodulating an incoming multimedia signal, the system may receive streamed content via another mechanism that does not employ tuners. For example, it may ~~received~~ receive the streamed content via a packet protocol.

Please amend paragraph [0084] to [0086] of the specification, as published as publication number 20050097623, as follows:

[0084] identifying the physical or logical location where the multimedia content was “bookmarked (*i.e.*, which device through which the bookmark was set);”

[0085] ~~this may be thought of as~~ identifying a relative time within the multimedia content;

[0086] identifying the user who “bookmarked” the multimedia content;
and

Please amend paragraphs [0102] to [0104] of the specification, as published as publication number 20050097623, as follows:

[0102] One way to accomplish tuner swapping is for the “source” location to give up its tuner to a “destination” location. Thus, the destination will have access to the media content “pause” buffer attached to the particular tuner, but the source will not.

[0103] ~~Practical~~ As a practical example of this: Users A and B are watching time delayed broadcast media on channel 5 in the living room. If user A moves to the bedroom, user B has ~~[[3]]~~ three choices: go with user A to the bedroom and continue watching the time delayed broadcast media, stay in the living room and watch another channel, or see channel 5 go live, thus missing the content in the pause buffer.

[0104] Instead of “tuner swapping,” the tuner may be shared. The “source” and “destination” share the tuner and the “pause” buffer. Practical example: Same situation as above, however, user B can continue to watch the time delayed broadcast media content in the living room.

Please amend paragraph [0130] of the specification, as published as publication number 20050097623, as follows:

[0130] Although the program’s presentation has been bookmarked (so that it can be resumed in another location), ~~it is possible for the~~ program’s presentation may continue at the original location as well. For example, two people are watching a broadcast media program. One person bookmarks the program and goes to resume watching it in another room in the household. However, the other person may remain in the room and continue to watch the program at the original location.

Please amend paragraph [0133] of the specification, as published as publication number 20050097623, as follows:

[0133] At 412, ~~it~~ the resume-locus system receives an indication based on the user’s interaction with the GUI that the user wishes to view a particular program that has been bookmarked.

Please amend paragraph [0143] of the specification, as published as publication number 20050097623, as follows:

[0143] At 512, ~~it~~ the exemplary resumption architecture generates a “bookmark” in the current point of presentation of the stored multimedia content being presented on the presentation system.

Please amend paragraph [0208] of the specification, as published as publication number 20050097623, as follows:

[0208] The system 220 includes a tuner 1400, one or more processors 1404 and one or more memory components. Examples of possible memory components include a random access memory (RAM) 1406 or other a non-volatile memory (e.g., ROM, Flash, EPROM, EEPROM, etc.).